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SIMPSON, CRAWFORD & SIMPSON'S FIFTEENTH ANNUAL SALE.

THE EVENT in the Retail Dry Goods World for January will be our 15th Annual Sale, commencing Tuesday Morning, Jan. 2.

This Event is of a twofold character—closing out old stocks and introducing new ones. Balance of winter goods sacrificed so as to insure their complete and quick removal. New stocks presented at lowest prices that can be quoted for desirable goods. Linens from Ireland, Scotland and Germany. White Goods from Manchester. Laces and Embroideries from Switzerland and Saxony. Leather Goods from Vienna, Paris and New York. Coupled with Cloaks, Suits, Furs, Silks, Dress Goods, Underwear, Hosiery, and all the etcetera connected with a live and comprehensive Dry Goods store which a force of experienced buyers have collected from the four quarters of the earth—all combining to make this Annual Sale “the event in the retail dry goods world for January.” The right of our claim to this assertion will be realized by a perusal of the offerings detailed below, as well as by a visit to the store on Tuesday or following days. Earlier the better the choice.

Ladies' Suit and Cloak

DEPARTMENTS.

The annual clearing sale in our Ladies' Suit, Cloak and Fur Departments will be of more than usual interest to buyers, inasmuch as the extraordinary bargains offered consist of the finest productions of the leading European and American manufacturers.

The following reductions will give an idea of the exceptional advantages offered:

110 Ladies' double-breasted and Russian Blouse Jackets, made of Cheviots and Cheviots, in navy, black, and tan, at **1.98**—were 6.75.

500 Ladies' Jackets, made of Diagonals, Cheviots, Cheviots, and Beaver Cloth, plain and trimmed with braid, natural Beavers, Nutria, Astrachan, and natural Lynx, at **5.98**—were 10.98
7.48—were 14.75
10.98—were 19.75
14.75—were 29.75
19.75—were 39.00

The balance of our latest importations of Ladies' Paris-made Jackets (no two alike), the productions of the world-famed artists, Ullac, Pingat Pasquill, Sara Mayer, Fischer & Robert, are marked at the following prices, which are one-half their cost to land:

29.75—were 45.00
35.00—were 57.00
43.00—were 75.00
59.00—were 98.00

Muslin Embroideries.

Muslin Embroideries of every description, on various fabrics, in different styles of embroidery, white and colored, comprising Matched Sets, Insertions, Bandings, Bandings, Loop Edgings, Skirtings, and All-overs, in a great variety and newest effects.

Special values in Nainsook, Cambric and India Linen Embroidered Edgings, 4 to 8 inches wide, at 12½¢ yard; worth 20¢.

500 pieces extra wide Cambric Embroideries, 8 to 12 inches wide, openwork designs, particularly desirable for underskirt trimming, 25¢ yard; worth 35¢.

Muslin Embroideries, 45 inches wide, suitable for aprons, 50¢ yard; worth 85¢.

Ladies' Fancy Aprons, fine embroidery, 65¢ and 65¢ each.

Closing Out Remnants of Embroideries at 50 Cents on the Dollar.

Demil-woven Embroidered Flouncings at 20¢ yard; worth 40¢.

Extra Colored Embroideries, 5¢ yard; worth 15¢.

Remnants of Emb'd Flouncings, 27 and 45 inches wide, below manufacturer's cost.

LACES.

The largest assortment of Silk, Linen, and Cotton Laces ever offered, comprising all the newest makes, in Bandings, Insertions, Edgings and All-overs, in white, cream, coral, and black.

1,000 pieces of Point Venice and Point Guipure Lace Insertings, 1 to 1½ inches wide, white and coral, 25¢ to 35¢ yard.

Point Venice Lace Edgings, 4 inches wide, 70¢ yard; 6 inches wide, 1.15 yard.

Black Bourdon Lace Insertions, 1 to 1½ inches wide, 18¢ to 30¢ yard.

Black Lace Drapery Nets, 45 inches wide, 70¢ each; worth 1.45.

2,500 yards of Gause Scarfings, 15 inches wide, 12½¢ yard; worth 17¢.

Chiffon Jabots at 10¢ and 30¢; were 25¢ and 45¢.

Lace Collarettes, 30¢ each; were 50¢.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Closing Out Balance of Men's Initialed Silk Handkerchiefs at 25¢ each; worth 35¢.

Ladies' Crepe Mufflers, 45¢; worth 75¢.

Children's Initialed Linen Handkerchiefs, 15¢ each; worth 25¢.

Children's Hemstitched Silk Handkerchiefs, 5¢.

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LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

Season's Accumulation at **HALF FORMER PRICES.**

French Hand-made Underwear, hand embroidered and lace trimmed (slightly soiled from handling), comprising Nightgowns, Chemises, and Drawers, at **89c.**, 1.39, 1.98, 2.75.

Paris Petticoats (Umbrella shape), trimmed with Hamburgs and Laces, **2.89**, 3.75, 4.25, 5.98.

Domestic Underwear. Corset Covers, Chemises and Drawers, **19**, 29, 49, 69c.

Night Gowns and White Skirts, **39**, 69, 98, 1.25.

Infants' Dresses at **23**, 39, 59, 75c.

Children's Cloaks (up to 4 years), divided into four lots: **1.98**, 2.75, 3.75, 4.75.

LADIES' HOUSE GOWNS.

An examination of these goods will be necessary to realize just what extraordinary values they are.

Imported House Gowns, made of Henrietta, stylishly trimmed, **9.75**, 12.50, 15.00, 19.00.

Imported Silk House Gowns, **19.50**, 25.00, 29.00.

These Garments are suitable for all home occasions.

Imported Peignoirs, made of Flannel and Silk, **8.75**, 11.00, 13.50, 15.00.

Imported Matinees (hand embroidered), made of Flannel and Crepon, **3.75**, 4.98, 5.75, 6.75.

Cashmere House Gowns, trimmed with ribbons, laces, and braids, **3.75**, 4.75, 5.75, 6.75.

Domestic Wrappers **89c.**, 98c., 1.39, 1.69.

ART EMBROIDERY DEPT.

Decorative Table Linens. The following Embroidered Linens are one-third below market prices:

Linen Doyleys, hand embroidered, 7 inches square, 35¢ each.

Table Centre Pieces, all linen, hand embroidered, 20 inches square, \$1.45 each.

Linen Scarfs, hand embroidered, 18x34, at \$3.45 each.

Momile Linen Scarfs, 18x72, at 30¢ each; 18x54, at 25¢ each.

Momile Linen Tray Covers, 20x30, at 25¢ each.

Large assortment of Table Centre Pieces, Doyleys, &c., in plain linen and duck, round, all sizes (fringed), new corded effects.

LAMBREQUINS, &c. Mantel Lambrequins, 98¢; were \$1.45.

Silk Mantel Lambrequins, \$2.95 each; were \$4.45.

Hand-painted Lambrequins, \$3.95; were \$5.45.

Piano Lambrequins, \$1.95; were \$2.95.

Extra wide Silk Lambrequins, \$4.95; were \$7.95.

Embroidered Japanese Silk Scarfs, 50¢ each; were 75¢.

Sofa Pillows and Head Rests at 75¢ each; were \$1.45.

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SILK DEPARTMENT.

Armure Crystals, in Olive, Rosida Sage, Heliotrope, Myrtle, Lilac, Pink, New Green, &c., sold all season at 75¢ yard, now **39c.**

Real Japanese Silks and Crepes, in a choice collection of tints suitable for evening wear, sold all season at 85¢ yard, now **49c.**

24-inch Double Warp Colored Surahs, Evening Brocades, Changeable Taffetas, and Colored Faille Francaise, sold all season at \$1.25 yard, now **69c.**

Changeable Figured Armures, Glace Imprime, Brocade Satins and Armadillo Silks in shot effects, sold all season at \$1.35 per yard, now **79c.**

Novelty Silks, comprising changeable Satin Princesses in figures and polka dots, Swivel Brocades, and Peau de Soie Illume in granite effects, sold all season at \$1.75 per yard, now **98c.**

Rich Black Lyons Satin Duchesse, sold all season at \$2.50 yard, now **1.48**

DRESS GOODS.

Double-width all wool Scotch Cheviot Suitings, in light and dark colorings, sold all season at 50¢ yard, now **29c.**

50-inch all wool Fancy Hopsack Suitings, sold all season at 98¢ yard, now **49c.**

French Whip Corda, Bengaline Travers, Fancy Jacquards, Figured Armures, Fancy Prunella Diagonal and Fancy Suiting, sold all season from \$1.00 to \$1.25 per yard, now **69c.**

Black Goods. 46-inch French Serge and Henrietta Cloth, sold all season at \$1.25 per yard, now **79c.**

French Jacquards and Armures, sold all season at 98¢ per yard, now **69c.**

WASH FABRICS. 2,500 pieces Scotch Ginghams in a most varied assortment of styles, sold heretofore at 25¢ per yard, now **12½c.**

GLOVE DEPARTMENT. We have selected from our stock all Gloves that are slightly soiled, but otherwise perfect, and shall offer same in three lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Ladies' Colored Moussu. Suede Gloves, sizes 5½ and 6½ only, 25¢ pair; regular price, \$1.25 to \$1.50.

Lot 2—Ladies' 4-Button Kid and Suede Gloves, in various styles and colors, all sizes, 67¢ pair; regular price \$1.25.

Lot 3—Ladies' high grade Kid Gloves (this season's importations), 4-Button Kid and Suede Moussuetaires, our regular \$1.25 to \$1.67 qualities, at 89¢ per pair.

Special—We will sell a limited quantity of Ladies' Xavier Jouvain Suede gloves (in colors only), of which we are Sole Agents for New York City, as follows:

4-Button Plain and Embroidered backs (three qualities) at 98¢ per pair; regular price \$1.45, \$1.65 and \$1.85.

8-Button Moussuetaire Suede, Plain and Embroidered backs (three qualities), at \$1.25 per pair; regular price \$1.85, \$2.10 and \$2.35.

N. B.—No mail orders filled on this sale.

Toilet Goods. Toilet Cases reduced from \$1.75 and \$2.45 to 98¢. From \$3.25 and \$3.75 to \$1.98. From \$3.95 and \$4.75 to \$2.98.

Jewel Boxes reduced from \$2.25 to 98¢.

Fancy Glass Bottles filled with fine extracts, reduced from \$1.45 and \$2.25 to 98¢.

And from 60¢ and 80¢ to 48¢.

Fancy Atomizers at 30¢, 68¢, and 98¢; half former prices.

Flannel Department. 500 pieces Eldordown Flannels, latest shades, 29¢ yard.

150 pieces all-wool Flannels, in stripes and plaids, 29¢ yard; value 45¢.

75 pieces Scotch Flannels, shrunk finish, 25¢ yard; reduced from 30¢.

400 pieces Eldordown Flannels, latest shades, 29¢ yard.

150 pieces all-wool Flannels, in stripes and plaids, 29¢ yard; value 45¢.

75 pieces Scotch Flannels, shrunk finish, 25¢ yard; reduced from 30¢.

400 pieces Eldordown Flannels, latest shades, 29¢ yard.

150 pieces all-wool Flannels, in stripes and plaids, 29¢ yard; value 45¢.

75 pieces Scotch Flannels, shrunk finish, 25¢ yard; reduced from 30¢.

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HOUSEHOLD LINENS.

A collection of bargains in House-keeping Linens which cannot be equalled in America.

TABLE DAMASKS. 50 pieces Bleached Table Damask, all linen, 39¢ yard; value 55¢.

85 pieces Cream Loom Damask at 43¢ yard; value 60¢.

75 pieces Bleached Satin Damask at 59¢ yard; value 75¢.

80 pieces Bleached Double Damask at 75¢ yard; value 95¢.

65 pieces Bleached Double Damask, extra heavy, 72 inches wide, 98¢ yard; value \$1.35.

NAPKINS. 5-8 Napkins at 98¢ dozen; worth \$1.25.

5-8 Napkins at \$1.25 dozen; worth \$1.60.

5-8 Napkins at \$1.69 dozen; worth \$2.25.

5-8 Napkins at \$1.75 dozen; worth \$2.25.

5-8 Napkins at \$2.48 dozen; worth \$3.75.

5-8 Napkins at \$3.25 dozen; worth \$4.75.

TOWELS. 500 dozen white hemstitched Huck Towels, large size, 12½¢ each; worth 18¢.

250 dozen Huck Towels, all linen, 15¢ each; worth 22¢.

225 dozen extra size Huck Towels, all linen, 19¢ each; worth 25¢.

500 dozen Damask Towels, knotted fringe, fancy colored borders, 23x50 inches, 25¢ each; worth 30¢.

100 pieces linen Glass Towelling at 9¢ yard; worth 13¢.

HEMSTITCHED TABLE CLOTHS AND NAPKINS. Table Cloths, 2½x12½ yards, \$7.98 per set; value \$12.50.

Table Cloths, 2½x13 yards, \$8.98 per set; value \$13.75.

Table Cloths, 2½x13½ yards, \$9.98 per set; value \$15.50.

(Set comprises Cloth and dozen Napkins.)

Sheets and Pillow Cases, made of extra quality bleached muslin, hemmed in best manner.

Sheets, 2½x12½ yards, 50¢ each.

Pillow Cases—45x36 inches at 12½¢ each.

50x36 inches at 14¢ each.

64x36 inches at 15¢ each.

BLANKETS AND QUILTS. 15 cases fine California Wool Blankets, in 11-4 and 12-4 sizes, at less than actual cost to manufacturer, viz:

11-4 California Wool Blankets at \$5.98 pair; worth \$7.50.

12-4 California Wool Blankets at \$6.98 pair; worth \$9.50.

Also the following Bargains in Marseilles Bed Quilts (all full sizes):

98¢ each; actual value \$1.65.

\$1.98 each; actual value \$3.75.

\$3.25 each; actual value \$5.50.

RUG DEPARTMENT. Our entire surplus stock of Smyrna, Oriental, and Japanese Rugs at less than wholesale prices to close.

21x45 inches, worth \$2.25, at \$1.50.

26x54 inches, worth \$2.75, at \$1.75.

30x60 inches, worth \$3.00, at \$2.10.

36x72 inches, worth \$4.25, at \$2.98.

An importer's entire stock of hand-woven Japanese Rugs at about one-half usual prices, viz:

18x36 inches reduced to 65¢.

24x48 inches reduced to \$1.10.

30x60 inches reduced to 1.18.

36x72 inches reduced to 1.38.

4 ft. x 7 ft. reduced to 3.75.

6 ft. x 9 ft. reduced to 5.75.

9 ft. x 12 ft. reduced to 11.98.

12 ft. x 12 ft. reduced to 13.98.

Also an immense assortment of Oriental Rugs (purchased at auction) at the following bargain prices:

Daghestan Rugs, \$5.98; value \$12.00.

Daghestan Rugs, \$6.98; value \$15.00.

Karabagh Rugs, \$9.98; value \$20.00.

Together with a large line of Turkish, Persian, Quahak, Cashmere, and Indian Rugs at lowest prices yet quoted.

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15th Annual Sale of DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, CUFFS and NIGHT SHIRTS.

Our January Shirt Sale is looked forward to by thousands of persons who long ago discovered that nowhere else can equal values be obtained. These Shirts are our exclusive brands, and known as Columbia, Yale, Harvard, and Premier. The materials and finish are guaranteed exactly as represented. Any buyer is privileged to make an exchange if the goods do not prove satisfactory, or the money will be refunded if preferred. Orders by mail can be filled by simply sending size of collar worn.

Lot 1 (Columbia)—1,500 dozen Wamsutta Muslin Shirts, 3-ply linen bosoms, reinforced fronts, patent extension back facing, six for \$2.30, or singly **39c.**

Lot 2 (Yale)—900 dozen New York Mills Muslin Shirts, 3-ply linen bosoms, reinforced fronts, full felled seams, patent extension back facing, six for \$3.50, or singly **59c.**

Lot 3 (Harvard)—750 dozen Wamsutta Muslin Shirts, 3-ply linen bosoms, extra reinforced front, full felled seams, patent extension back facing, linen collar and cuff bands, all hand finished, six for \$4.30, or singly **73c.**

Lot 4 (Premier)—500 dozen New York Mills Muslin Shirts, with 3-ply solid linen bosoms, reinforced fronts, full felled seams, French yokes, patent extension back facing, linen collar and cuff bands, all hand finished (equal to any custom made shirt), six for \$5.00, or singly **85c.**

Lot 5—This lot comprises a mixed quantity of Shirts, some custom-made goods that have not been called for, and the balance are odds and ends that have accumulated from year to year. Some are open back and front, with plain linen bosoms, and some have pleated bosoms. Buyers that can be fitted in any of this lot will find them a great bargain at **29c.**

(The above Shirts are unlaundered.)

Collars and Cuffs. 2,000 dozen Linen Collars and Cuffs, in all the leading styles, made to our special order by one of the best and largest manufacturers in Troy, N. Y.:

Collars, 48¢ per half dozen.

Cuffs, 95¢ per half dozen.

Night Shirts. Lot 1—350 dozen Heavy Twilled Night Shirts, also some with fancy trimmings, made of extra fine, full felled seams, 52 inches long (have been retailed at 70¢ during the past season), for this sale **48c.**

Lot 2—250 dozen Night Shirts, 52 inches long, made of extra quality muslin, felled seams, with different styles vari-colored trimming, full large size, **59c.**

Lot 3—150 dozen fancy-trimmed Night Shirts, 52 inches long, made of best quality muslin (were made for our regular stock, and are always retailed at 98¢), for this sale **79c.**

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPT. Boys' Suits and Shirt Waists at prices that will insure a prompt clearance.

Boys' all-wool 2-piece Suits, 5 to 15 years, reduced from \$4.45 to \$3.98.

Youths' all-wool Long Pant Suits, 16, 17, and 18 years, reduced from \$12.00 to \$6.98.

"Mother's Friend" Shirt Waists (size 4 to 14 years). Unlaundered, 48¢; were 75¢.

Laundered, 60¢; were 95¢. (These waists are made from Garner's Percale, with adjustable belt of strong webbing, which can readily be removed for laundering. They are the most durable waist manufactured.)

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Leather Goods, Trunks, and Travellers' Outfittings At 50 Cents on the Dollar.

We have purchased at 50 Cents on the dollar the entire stock of the Travellers' Outfitting Bazar, 1,127 Broadway

(between 25th and 26th Streets), New York.

Retailers of fine American and English Leather Goods, Trunks, Bags, Umbrellas, Cutlery, &c.—all made for finest Broadway trade.

We shall place the same on sale TUESDAY, Jan. 2, on basis of purchase price. In view of the high character of the goods kept and sold by the firm in question, the opportunity now offered to secure these goods at 50 cents on the dollar will commend itself to all.

TRUNKS.

Hamper Trunks, Steamer Trunks, Dress Trunks, Cabin Trunks, Overland Trunks, Hat Boxes, French Trunks (light weight), Dress Trunks, Sole Leather Trunks.

FLASKS.

Pocket Flasks in all sizes from one gill to two quarts, mounted with alligator, seal, calf, morocco, grain, and fancy leathers. Also a large variety of Sterling Silver and Metal Flasks.

CUTLERY.

American and English Cutlery, including Rogers, Wostenholm, and Wade & Butcher's goods, together with all the other standard lines. They comprise pocket knives, hunting knives, daggers, corp knives, paper cutters, ink erasers, &c.—A large lot of the famous Reppenhagen Razor Strope, made of horsehair and best Scotch linen web binding, complete with hook and lead stick.

TRAVELLING BAGS.

Cabin Bags in Alligator, grain leather, seal, English Russel, Moffat leather, and English tanned pigskin.—A variety of fancy-colored deep English Bags, with sewed-in frames and pigskin lining, with mat-gold or nickel mountings, in brown grain, olive, black, seal, and English Russel leathers.—Alligator Club Bags, made especially light weight for ladies' use, with sewed-in frames, mat-gold trimmings, full leather lined, genuine alligator covered frames, and all